

AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION/MODIFICATION OF CONTRACT			1. CONTRACT ID CODE		PAGE OF PAGES 1 3		
2. AMENDMENT/MODIFICATION NO. 0002		3. EFFECTIVE DATE 13 Aug 03		4. REQUISITION/PURCHASE REQ. NO. N/A		5. PROJECT NO. (If applicable)	
6. ISSUED BY CODE		N00167		7. ADMINISTERED BY (If other than Item 6)		CODE	
Naval Surface Warfare Center, Carderock Division Code 3322: Michelle Pearman 9500 MacArthur Blvd West Bethesda MD 20817-5700							
8. NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONTRACTOR (No., street, county, State and ZIP Code)				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 9A. AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION NO. N00167-03-R-0050 9B. DATED (SEE ITEM 11) 7 Jul 03 10A. MODIFICATION OF CONTRACT/ORDER NO. 10B. DATED (SEE ITEM 13)			
TO ALL OFFERORS CODE FACILITY CODE							

11. THIS ITEM ONLY APPLIES TO AMENDMENTS OF SOLICITATIONS

☒ The above numbered solicitation is amended as set forth in Item 14. The hour and date specified for receipt of Offers tended. ☐ is extended, ☒ is not extended.

Offers must acknowledge receipt of this amendment prior to the hour and date specified in the solicitation or as amended, by one of the following methods:

(a) By completing Items 8 and 15, and returning _____ copies of the amendment; (b) By acknowledging receipt of this amendment on each copy of the offer submitted; or (c) By separate letter or telegram which includes a reference to the solicitation and amendment numbers. FAILURE OF YOUR ACKNOWLEDGMENT TO BE RECEIVED AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED FOR THE RECEIPT OF OFFERS PRIOR TO THE HOUR AND DATE SPECIFIED MAY RESULT IN REJECTION OF YOUR OFFER. If by virtue of this amendment you desire to change an offer already submitted, such change may be made by telegram or letter, provided each telegram or letter makes reference to the solicitation and this amendment, and is received prior to the opening hour and date specified.

12. ACCOUNTING AND APPROPRIATION DATA (If required)

N/A

13. THIS ITEM APPLIES ONLY TO MODIFICATIONS OF CONTRACTS/ORDERS, IT MODIFIES THE CONTRACT/ORDER NO. AS DESCRIBED IN ITEM 14.

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	A. THIS CHANGE ORDER IS ISSUED PURSUANT TO: (Specify authority) THE CHANGES SET FORTH IN ITEM 14 ARE MADE IN THE CONTRACT ORDER NO. IN ITEM 10A.
	B. THE ABOVE NUMBERED CONTRACT/ORDER IS MODIFIED TO REFLECT THE ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES (such as changes in paying office, appropriation date, etc.) SET FORTH IN ITEM 14, PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY OF FAR 43.103 (b).
	C. THIS SUPPLEMENTAL AGREEMENT IS ENTERED INTO PURSUANT TO AUTHORITY OF:
	D. OTHER (Specify type of modification and authority)

E. IMPORTANT: Contractor ☐ is not, ☐ is required to sign this document and return _____ copies to the issuing office.

14. DESCRIPTION OF AMENDMENT/MODIFICATION (Organized by UCF section headings, including solicitation/contract subject matter where feasible.)

The purpose of this amendment is to clarify questions raised by offerors. The closing date remains unchanged on 3 September 2003, 2:00 pm.

Question 1: Section L, Subsection 4, Corporate Experience - Past Performance. Are proposed subcontractors required to submit Questionnaires, in addition to the Prime Contractor, and if so, how many?

Answer 1: The Government does not require questionnaires to be provided by the subcontractors but questionnaires MAY be provided for them if subcontractor is being proposed to fill a significant portion of the hours specified in the RFP.

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Except as provided herein, all terms and conditions of the document referenced in Item 9A or 10A, as heretofore changed, remains unchanged and in full force and effect.

15A. NAME AND TITLE OF SIGNER (Type or print)		16A. NAME AND TITLE OF CONTRACTING OFFICER (Type or print)	
15B. CONTRACTOR/OFFEROR		16B. UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	
(Signature of person authorized to sign)		BY (Signature of Contracting Officer)	
15C. DATE SIGNED		16C. DATE SIGNED	

Question #2: Regarding the experience requirements for Senior Logistician, Logistician, Senior Technical Writer and Technical Writer, there is a specific requirement for "watercraft" experience. Since the methods, techniques, standards and processes in ILS and Technical Writing are essentially identical for watercraft as they are for larger U.S. Navy ships, would the Government consider this requirement fulfilled using navy ship experience in the ILS and Technical Writer labor categories?

Answer #2: Watercraft experience is desired, though not mandatory. Given all other things equal, preference will be made to personnel with valid watercraft experience.

Question #3: Page length for Past Performance, page 98, #9 of the RFP.....Can the Contract Summary be more than 1 page in length to meet all the requirements in #9?

Answer #3: On page 97 of the RFP, change: "4. CORPORATE EXPERIENCE-PAST PERFORMANCE (Maximum length: 20 pp.)" to "4. CORPORATE EXPERIENCE-PAST PERFORMANCE (Maximum length: 40 pp.)" On page 98 of the RFP, change the first sentence of PAST PERFORMANCE, #9 from "A Contract Summary- The contract summary shall provide a descriptive overview of the contract, nominally one page in length" to "A Contract Summary - The contract summary shall provide a descriptive overview of the contract, no more than three pages in length."

Question #4: Pg. 25, Section F, 52.211-8 Time of Delivery. As Offeror's rates vary depending on the Period of Performance of a contract, we request that the Government provide an estimated start date for the contract in order to facilitate the accurate and consistent calculation of rates by all Offerors.

Answer #4: Estimated start date for the contract is 5 January 2004.

Question #5: Pg. 30, Section I, Clause 52.219-23 Notice of Price Evaluation Adjustment for Small Disadvantaged Business Concerns. The Director of Defense Procurement signed a memorandum on January 24, 2003, referencing the suspension of price evaluation adjustment prescribed in FAR 19.11 and DFARS 219.11. This memorandum was to be effective 30 days after issue and for twelve months thereafter. Please clarify.

Answer #5: Pg. 30, Section I, Clause 52.219-23 is deleted.

Question #6: Pg. 85, Section L, CAR-L07 Selected Cost Data for Indefinite Delivery Contracts. Paragraph (d), second sentence, requires prime contractors to provide the same level of labor category cost detail from subcontractors as for the prime contractor. Please clarify that subcontractor cost detail will be allowed to be submitted under separate cover directly to the Government.

Answer #6: Subcontractor cost detail may be submitted under a sealed envelope to the contractor, which the contractor will send with the proposal or the subcontractor cost detail may be submitted in a sealed

envelope directly to the Government by the closing date of 3 September 2003, 2:00 PM.

Question #7: Pg. 100, Section L, NTE Support Costs. This paragraph states the offeror may include a cost element associated with a G&A / handling rate associated with these costs. Since G&A and handling rates are usually separate rates applied differently to various support costs, could the Government modify the NTE estimate to provide separate NTE estimates for materials and travel on which to apply these cost element rates?

Answer #7: Pg. 2, Section B, Item No. 0003 Support Costs (Materials, Travel, Minor Subcontracting - inclusive of applicable indirect costs and non-fee bearing) is broken down as follows:

Materials	NTE	\$3,117,569
Travel	NTE	\$659,290
Minor Subcontracting	NTE	\$155,878

Question #8: Pg. 89, Section L, SAMPLE TASK 4 (In Service Engineering). This paragraph states "Additionally , the offeror has been tasked to coordinate an alteration installation team to accomplish these alterations on-site at government shore-base activities, but using contractor services (assuming that the government will remove the boats from the water for the alteration)." - Does this mean the offeror will accomplish the installations using its own subcontractors, or coordinate other existing NSWCCDDN contractors?

Answer #8: Although NSWCCDDN currently posses contract vehicles for industrial support, we do not assume that all potential offerors are knowledgeable of this fact. Therefore, the intent of this element of Sample Task 4 is for the offeror to present a plan for alteration installation that includes the use of subcontractors as necessary to accomplish the requirements of the installation."